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REQUEST FOR REFUND

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

In response to an Office action dated October 4, 2002, pertaining to the aboveidentified application, undersigned counsel submitted an amendment to the Patent Office on February 4, 2003 together with a Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$110.00 for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office action.

Due to the fact that applicant is entitled to small entity status, undersigned counsel herewith requests that a refund check in the amount of \$55.00 be issued.

Respectfully submitted,

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